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FORM PTO-1082 TRANSMITTAL FOR NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION

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Re:

New U.S. Patent Application

For:

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Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above, including 26 pages of textual specification including 27 claims and 16 sheets of drawings.

This application is a Continuation-In-Part of application Serial No. 10/419,934 [XX] filed on April 22, 2003.

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